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December, 1979 - In Summary

All Programs - Trends were mixed in December, 1979 as more persons were aided (up 2.7%), but costs declined (down 10.0%). This is not necessarily an unusual occurrence as the processing of medical claims often results in this pattern. November, 1979 medical payments were unusually high because of a backlog of claims paid for patients in state residences for the mentally retarded and mentally ill (a relatively small population). The December decline in payments for this group more than offset an increase in medical payments for other MA recipients.

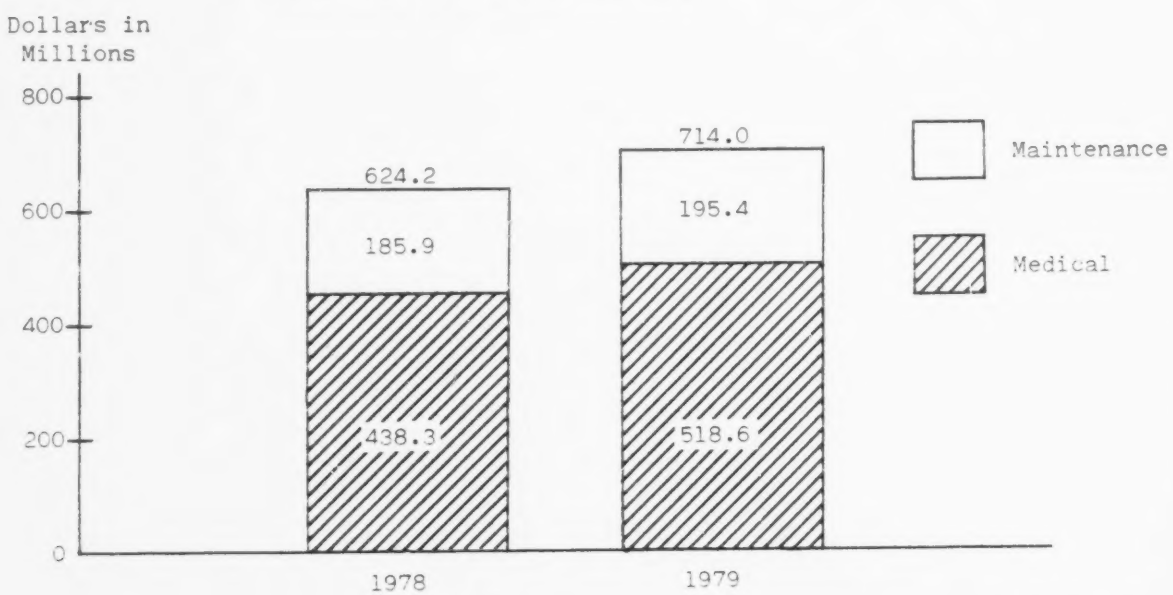
Total payments in December, 1979 were still the third highest in the last 12-month period at $67,400,550. The monthly decline was $7,521,815 (-10.0%), while the annual trend shows an increase of $19,465,918 (+40.6%). (There were no institutional payments made in December, 1978.)

There were 208,162 persons aided in December, 5,413 (2.7%) above the previous month and 8,757 (+4.4%) over December, 1978. The annual trend includes 3,423 more aged persons, 1,464 AFDC recipients, 2,988 disabled persons, and 974 needy children (GA shows a slight partial offsetting decline).

Calendar Year 1979 - Total expenditures for the calendar year of 1979 recorded a high of $713,980,000. This is 14.4% over 1978 with medical costs showing a 18.3% increase as follows:

Type of Care	1979 Expenditures	Change from 1978
Maintenance	$195.41M	$ 9.55M (5.1%)
Medical	$518.57M	$80.24M (18.3%)
Total	$713.98M	$89.79M (14.4%)

Public Assistance Expenditures
Maintenance and Medical
Calendar Years 1978 and 1979



Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) - Maintenance payments for AFDC declined $185,727 (1.3%) compared to such payments for November, 1979. This occurred despite an increase of 225 (0.5%) cases receiving payment. The increased cost for the additional cases was offset by an increase in support payments of $240,189. Support payments tend to fluctuate widely in various months due to the sporadic reporting by Aitkin, Anoka, Carver, Clay, Dakota, Fillmore, Freeborn, Polk, and Rice Counties. These nine mentioned counties often lump several months' collections into one month.

Increases in payment cases were reported for both the SMSA and rural counties. The rural counties accounted for 74.7% of the case increase, while representing 27.3% of the state case total. Statewide, the unemployed father segment showed the highest increase, reflecting a gain of 154 cases or 68.4% of the total trend. Of the total case rise in unemployed fathers, 68.4% resided within the rural counties.

Approvals in December totalled 2,801, down 30 (1.1%) from November. The composition of the December case approvals was 1,300 new, 1,199 reopened and 302 transfers. The SMSA Counties accounted for 66.9% of all approvals. Overall, reopened cases were 42.8% of the additions. The SMSA Counties reflected proportionately a higher rate of reopened cases (45.6%), whereas the rural counties' percentage rate was 37.1%. For every closing in December, 1979, there were 1.13 cases opened.

AFDC maintenance costs from July through December, 1979 accrued to $85,536,000. This compares with $78,277,219 for the same six months in 1978. Thus, costs for the current six-month period represented an increase of $7,258,781 (9.3%). During the above-mentioned periods, cases receiving payment increased from a monthly average of 46,738 to 47,942, a rise of 2.6%.

Compared to December, 1978, the current maintenance payments were $1,496,617 (11.9%) higher. This was caused by a case increase of 1,300 (2.8%). Contributors to the rise in payments are the 7% increase in the basic needs standards on July 1, 1979, the higher payment case load, and lower IV-D collections.

Emergency Assistance (EA) - During December, this program declined in all major categories - cases, recipients and payments. This represents the fourth consecutive month of decline.

Recipients numbered 4,191 this month, 182 (4.2%) fewer than November, but 72 (1.7%) more than December, 1978. Cases followed a similar pattern, off 65 (5.1%) from November to 1,206. It was 26 (2.2%) greater than one year ago.

The category displaying the greatest change was expenditures, which totalled $296,939. It was $21,004 (6.6%) less than November, but $22,986 (8.4%) above December, 1978.

This month, "Families Not Receiving AFDC" represented 52.3% of families assisted and 60.4% of program expenditures. This represented an increase of 8.4% and 11.6% respectively from one year ago.

The emergencies for Eviction from Shelter, Emergency Fuel and No Employment accounted for 58.2% of December's payments. Eviction from Shelter was the most prevalent emergency, representing 26.8% of expenditures, followed by Emergency Fuel (14.7%) and No Employment (16.7%).

Emergency Fuel, the newest EA category, totalled $43,599, a decline of $11,036 (20.2%) from November.

Medical Assistance (MA) - MA expenditures for December totalled $50,615,794 for 131,050 recipients for an average of $386.23. The expenditure reflected a $7,352,853 (12.7%) decrease from the previous month and an increase of $17,812,577 (54.3%) from one year ago. The recipient count reflected an increase of 15,393 (13.3%) from the previous month and an increase of 14,037 (12.0%) from one year ago. The average cost per recipient decreased by $114.98 (22.9%) from the previous month and increased by $105.49 (37.6%) from one year ago.

To better understand why the MA Program recorded significant changes from prior months, the following facts must be acknowledged:

1. December, 1978 had two warrant cycles processed totalling $12,939,093, nursing home payments totalling $19,863,393, and institutional payments totalling $731 (adjustments only).

2. November, 1979 had two warrant cycles processed totalling $13,464,383, nursing home payments totalling $25,247,675, and institutional payments totalling $19,256,588.

3. December, 1979 had three warrant cycles processed totalling $18,130,230, nursing home payments totalling $24,256,793, and institutional payments totalling $8,228,771.

Through December (i.e., July - December, 1979), the fiscal year expenditure totalled $279,123,944, which averaged $46,520,657 monthly. The corresponding recipient count averaged 118,278 recipients monthly. The average monthly number of eligible recipients for this time period was 202,100. Thus, in this six-month period, the average monthly cost for each recipient that utilized MA services was $393.32 and the average monthly cost per eligible recipient was $230.19.

Minnesota Supplemental Aid (MSA) - MSA expenditures totalled $804,338 and 10,733 recipients - an average of $74.94. Compared to the previous month, the total expenditure decreased by $18,558 (2.3%) and the recipient count decreased by 18 (0.2%). Compared to one year ago, the expenditure increased by $65,234 (8.8%), while the recipient count decreased by 177 (1.6%).

The average monthly expenditure for July - December, 1979 reflected an 8.8% increase over July - December, 1978. The negotiated rates for recipients in board and care facilities were mainly responsible for this increase. For example, during December, 1979, there were 2,334 MSA recipients who lived in board and care facilities with negotiated rates. The significance of this is that almost 50% of the total MSA expenditure was incurred by these recipients.

The average monthly recipient count for July - December, 1979 reflected a decrease of 1.6% from July - December, 1978. The Aged category accounted for 85.5% of the total recipient decrease, while the Blind and Disabled categories accounted for respective decreases of 6.7% and 7.8%.

The net loss, reflected in the recipient count, can be traced to the block of recipients transferred to the MSA Program back in January, 1974. Included in that group were persons that had never been covered under the Social Security Program who ended up with little or no income upon retirement, mainly persons who worked in the agricultural field. Essentially, they remain on the MSA Program as long as they live. Therefore, gradual attrition of this group is expected to cause the MSA population to decrease steadily in the future.

During December, the MSA Program issued $6,951 in "Emergency Fuel Assistance" to 36 recipients, which averaged $193 per recipient. This compared with $17,028 and 76 recipients during November for an average of $224. During October, it was $5,328 and 29 recipients for an average of $184.

Forty-three percent (43%) of the emergency fuel assistance recipients also received an ongoing MSA grant during the month they received fuel assistance. Their average grant for emergency fuel assistance was $211.99. Since SSI planned to issue $250 for emergency fuel assistance to each recipient during their January mailing, it should include most of the MSA recipients because most of them receive SSI. Those excluded from the $250 payment from SSI have to receive the supplement through the MSA Program; however, they could receive both.

During the October - December, 1979 quarter, 31 counties issued payments for emergency fuel assistance. Thirteen (13) counties issued payments for fuel assistance during October, 19 during November, and 11 during December. Twenty (20) counties issued these payments only one of the three months, 10 counties issued them two of the three months, and only one, Ramsey County, issued them all three months. The following table identifies the counties that have issued emergency fuel assistance during this quarter:

Emergency Fuel Assistance,
Recipients and Payments by County

County	Recipients	Expenditure	County	Recipients	Expenditure
Benton	2	$ 296.37	Martin	1	$ 173.80
Carlton	6	2,886.00	Mille Lacs	4	456.40
Cass	3	364.00	Morrison	5	890.68
Chippewa	1	87.90	Nobles	1	200.66
Chisago	1	234.00	Pipestone	1	246.19
Crow Wing	14	3,270.27	Ramsey	41	7,978.26
Douglas	1	412.72	Renville	2	737.55
Fillmore	1	168.00	St. Louis	14	2,175.89
Freeborn	1	90.00	Sibley	1	216.23
Hennepin	10	1,369.08	Stearns	4	366.20
Houston	1	87.90	Steele	2	1,044.86
Itasca	7	1,614.02	Todd	1	313.00
Kanabec	3	527.55	Washington	2	1,039.66
Koochiching	5	992.59	Wilkin	1	177.80
LeSueur	1	128.30	Winona	3	479.91
Lyon	1	287.00	Total	141	$29,312.79

The previous table was based on data reported by counties who claimed the proposed 100% reimbursement. There were four additional counties (Beltrami, Brown, Kandiyohi and Swift) that reported emergency fuel assistance payments on the Case Information (CI) File, but didn't claim the 100% reimbursement rate during the quarter.

Since the counties are required to key all the MSA special needs payments into the CI File, it is significant to note that most counties failed to do it. For example, 20 (64.5%) of the 31 counties that claimed 100% reimbursement didn't input any of the emergency fuel assistance payments into the CI File for any of the months in the quarter. Ten (10) counties reported partial data, while only one county reported everything.

There were two provisions of the emergency fuel assistance program that perhaps explain why the number of recipients aided wasn't larger. First, each MSA recipient had to make separate application for this aid - it wasn't automatic. Second, each MSA recipient had to exhaust their cash reserves before they qualified; however, counties have the authority to waiver real and personal property in excess of the program limitation. Currently, the MSA Program allows personal property up to $300 for single aged and disabled recipients ($450 if married) and $2,000 for single blind recipients ($4,000 if married).

General Assistance (GA) - In December, 12,172 persons were aided by this program. This is an increase of 135 (1.1%) from November and is 70 (0.6%) fewer than recorded in December of 1978.

The greatest numerical change occurred in the Single category, which increased by 200 (2.0%). The Families with Adults category also displayed an increase, of 51 (7.5%), but this was more than offset by Families with Children, which declined by 116 (7.9%).

The recipient increase was focused in the rural and suburban counties. The rural counties displayed the greatest change, with Single recipients, Families with Children and Families with Adults up 169 (12.0%), 91 (13.3%) and 32 (13.9%) respectively. The suburban counties witnessed nominal advances, and then only in the Single and Families with Children categories. The urban counties, by comparison, declined in all recipient areas.

The number of cases receiving assistance, and expenditures, each advanced this month. Cases numbered 10,722 in December, 203 (1.9%) above November. Expenditures, at $1,622,422, displayed a greater rate of increase, rising $56,327 (3.6%).

During December, the county agencies received 4,074 applications, 83 (2.1%) more than in November. Of these applications, 3,614 (88.7%) were approved. Cases eligible for assistance totalled 12,722 or 471 (3.8%) above the previous month. Approximately 77% of those eligible received assistance. Closings during December numbered 3,366 and represented an increase of 225 (7.2%) from November.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS
(excluding Food Stamps, General Assistance Medical Care and Supplemental Security Income)

December, 1979

TRENDS

Month and Year	Total Recipients	Total Expenditures	Average Expenditures Per Person
December, 1978	199,405	$ 47,934,632	$ 240.39
January, 1979	204,693	73,886,933	360.96
February	200,210	51,102,884*	255.24*
March	202,438	53,170,000	262.65
April	200,705	52,783,820	262.99
May	198,388	52,710,983	260.45
June	198,181	49,598,211	250.27
July	198,944	60,917,711	306.21
August	199,860*	55,349,903*	276.94
September	200,589	65,936,817	328.72
October	201,205	56,200,096	279.32
November	202,749	74,922,365	369.53
December, 1979	208,162	$ 67,400,550	$ 323.79
January, 1979 through December, 1979	Average 201,344	Total $ 713,980,273	Average $295.51
		Average $ 59,498,356	

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Supplemental Security Income

December, 1979

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients	Expenditures	Average Grant
December, 1978	33,967	$ 3,177,335	$ 93.54
January, 1979	33,868	3,106,704	91.73
February	33,630	3,042,578	90.47
March	33,431	3,023,207	90.43
April	33,342	3,013,090	90.37
May	33,150	2,990,682	90.22
June	32,989	3,241,642	98.26
July	32,883	3,233,853	98.34
August	32,725	3,218,928	98.36
September	32,592	3,207,858	98.42
October	32,494	3,208,534	98.74
November	32,356	3,189,759	98.58
December, 1979	32,254	$ 3,167,718	$ 98.21

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN *

December, 1979

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Average Net Per Case	Expenditure Per Person
December, 1978	46,954	128,649	$ 12,564,440	$ 267.59	$ 97.66
January, 1979	47,153	128,958	13,129,249	278.44	101.81
February	47,189	129,062	13,388,328	283.72	103.74
March	47,591	129,534	12,857,331	270.16	99.26
April	47,180	128,434	12,818,092	271.68	99.80
May	47,160	128,321	12,897,213	273.48	100.51
June	47,027	127,945	12,999,580	276.43	101.60
July	47,512	128,549	14,273,800	300.43	111.03
August	47,685	129,057	14,280,120	299.47	110.65
September	48,054	129,973	14,404,428	299.76	110.83
October	48,118	130,015	14,269,811	296.56	109.76
November	48,029	129,967	14,246,784	296.63	109.62
December, 1979	48,254	130,113	$ 14,061,057	$ 291.40	$ 108.07

*Does not include Emergency Assistance.

CASES AND PAYMENTS BY SUB-PROGRAM

	Families	Persons	Children	Caretakers	Total Net Payments	Avg. Grant Per Case	Per Person
Total	**48,254	130,113	87,986	42,127	$14,061,057	$291.40	$108.07
AFDC Protective Money Payment	716	2,106	1,568	538	259,494	362.42	123.22
AFDC Payments to Children in Foster Homes	1,106	1,498	1,498	--	380,577	344.10	254.06
AFDC Payments to Children in Institutions	120	121	121	--	57,414	478.45	474.50
AFDC Payments to Unemployed Fathers	1,505	6,438	3,432	3,006	621,117	412.70	96.48
AFDC Payments to Unborn	1,619	2,629	1,619	1,010	354,760	219.12	134.94
AFDC Payments to Other Children	43,921	117,321	79,748	37,573	$12,387,695	$282.04	$105.59

**Total Families - an unduplicated count; therefore, cases by segment will not add to total.

SPECIAL SUPPLEMENTS

Type of Special Needs	Cases	Persons	Payments
Major Home Repair	56	204	$ 23,546
Repair of Major Appliance	60	216	3,447
Utility Recaps	--	--	--
Supplementary Dietary Needs	23	81	1,210
Replacement of Essential Household Furnishings or Major Appliances	162	521	24,350
TOTAL	301	1,022	$ 52,553

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - December, 1979

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Average Net Expenditure Per Case	Average Net Expenditure Per Person
December, 1978	1,180	4,119	$ 273,953	$232.16	$ 66.51
January, 1979	1,134	3,979	249,965	220.43	62.82
February	1,052	3,598	236,759*	225.06*	65.80*
March	1,193	4,052	290,437	243.45	71.68
April	1,510	5,174	422,900	280.07	81.74
May	1,199	4,149	303,710	253.30	73.20
June	1,121	3,875	269,884	240.75	69.05
July	1,286	4,393	316,728	246.29	72.10
August	1,486	5,076	386,059*	259.80	76.06
September	1,364	4,732	325,754	238.82	68.84
October	1,315	4,576	319,421	242.91	69.80
November	1,271	4,373	317,943	250.15	72.71
December, 1979	1,206	4,191	$ 296,939	$246.22	$ 70.85

SUB-PROGRAM AND DEFINED EMERGENCIES

	Families	Persons	Adults	Children	Total Net Payment	Av. Grant Per Case	Maintenance	Medical
Total	1,206	4,191	1,668	2,523	$ 296,939	$ 246.22	$296,132	$ 807
AFDC Families	575	1,771	654	1,117	117,646	204.60	117,540	106
Other Families	631	2,420	1,014	1,406	$ 179,293	$ 284.14	$178,592	$ 701

Defined Emergency	Families	Persons	Expenditures
Fire	21	68	$ 5,624
Strike	5	15	1,602
Illness	27	99	7,658
Accident	7	28	2,960
Death	2	3	218
Eviction from Shelter	280	892	79,594
Migrant Family in Need	7	25	1,321
No Employment	211	698	49,702
Utilities	166	605	25,786
Emergency Fuel	198	765	43,599
Other	420	1,347	$ 78,875
		Total	$ 296,939
		Money Payments	$ 98,714
		Vendor Payments	$ 198,225

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MINNESOTA SUPPLEMENTAL AID - December, 1979

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients	Net Expenditures	Expenditure Per Person
December, 1978	10,910	$739,103	$67.75
January, 1979	10,985	741,389	67.49
February	10,914	799,226	73.23
March	10,957	740,732	67.60
April	10,960	745,742	68.04
May	10,827	774,806	71.56
June	10,914	801,415	73.43
July	10,847	790,157	72.85
August	10,763	767,375	71.30
September	10,745	754,175	70.19
October	10,753	792,442	73.69
November	10,751	822,896	76.54
December, 1979	10,733	$804,338	$74.94

BY SUB-PROGRAM

	Recipients	Cost	Average Grant
Aged	3,356	$191,399	$57.03
Blind	161	$ 12,417	$77.12
Disabled	7,216	$600,522	$83.22

MINNESOTA GENERAL ASSISTANCE * - December, 1979

TRENDS

Month and Year	Cases	Recipients	Expenditures	Average Expenditure Per Case	Average Expenditure Per Person
December, 1978	10,590	12,242	$1,553,919	$146.73	$126.93
January, 1979	11,071	12,955	1,629,961	147.23	125.82
February	10,811	12,463	1,558,253	144.14	125.03
March	10,974	12,550	1,663,237	151.56	132.53
April	10,251	11,764	1,521,283	148.40	129.32
May	10,102	11,605	1,517,052	150.17	130.72
June	9,944	11,386	1,452,401	146.06	127.56
July	10,326	11,773	1,519,784	147.18	129.09
August	11,189**	12,843**	1,639,822	146.56**	127.68**
September	10,291	11,729	1,505,881	146.33	128.39
October	9,916	11,329	1,519,354	153.22	134.11
November	10,519	12,037	1,566,095	148.88	130.11
December, 1979	10,722	12,172	$1,622,422	$151.32	$133.29

BY CASE TYPE

	Recipients	Cost	Average Grant
Single	9,960	$1,456,876	$146.27
Families with Children	1,477	$ 91,767	$ 62.13
Families with Adults Only	735	$ 73,780	$100.38

* Includes post-closing cases and payments.

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MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - December, 1979

TRENDS

Month and Year	Recipients(1)	Expenditures	Average Expenditure Per Person
December, 1978	117,013	$ 32,803,217	$ 280.34
January, 1979	130,842	58,136,369	444.32
February	113,637	35,120,318	309.06
March	112,456	37,618,263	334.52
April	122,329	37,275,803	304.72
May	115,383	37,218,202	322.56
June	110,353	34,074,931	308.78
July	122,568	44,017,242	359.13
August	113,369	38,276,528	337.63
September	113,454	48,946,579	431.42
October	113,567	39,299,156	346.04
November	115,657	57,968,647	501.21
December, 1979	131,050	$ 50,615,794	$ 386.23

(1) Recipient counts represent the number of persons for whom services were paid through the State Centralized Medicaid Payments System. Excluded from the count are persons for whom only the Buy-In Premium payment was made.

RECIPIENTS AND EXPENDITURES BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY

	Eligible Persons	Recipients	Expenditures
Concurrently Receiving AFDC	132,671	68,116	$ 7,778,373
Concurrently Receiving MSA/SSI			
Aged	11,713	9,360	3,332,154
Blind	408	325	111,741
Disabled	15,484	13,056	9,986,421
MA-Only Recipients			
Aged	25,751	24,609	18,585,170
Blind	130	121	80,190
Disabled	7,594	7,364	8,004,969
Families with Children	1,682	1,106	318,426
AFDC Related Needy Children	8,105	6,993	2,418,350
Total	203,538	131,050	$ 50,615,794

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS AND EXPENDITURES
By Category of Service (1)

December, 1979

SERVICE CATEGORY	RECIPIENTS	EXPENDITURES	FYTD EXPENDITURES
Inpatient Hospital, General	6,889	$ 7,908,912	$ 40,726,749
Inpatient Hospital, T.B.	--	--	--
Inpatient Hospital, Mental	--	56	56
Crippled Children's Hospital/Convalescent	--	--	--
Mental Health Service	951	72,032	263,080
Outpatient Hospital, General	22,602	1,400,489	6,597,327
HMO	327	10,683	72,918
Rehabilitation Services	191	44,933	221,053
Nursing Home, Skilled	15,195	12,954,231	77,816,237
Nursing Home, T.B.	--	--	--
Nursing Home, ICF-MR	3,149	3,124,142	18,557,629
Nursing Home, ICF-I	11,669	7,453,836	44,985,197
Nursing Home, ICF-II	1,725	725,348	4,375,321
P.T., O.T., S.T., Audiology in Nursing Homes	3,255	1,048,261	4,525,330
Home Health Service	2,400	309,833	1,211,509
Crippled Child Service	71	1,791	4,502
Buy-In/Health Insurance	16,421	158,605	955,333
Independent Lab/X-Ray	1,208	9,515	86,256
Public Health Clinic Service	1,279	36,944	170,116
Recipient Recovery (2)	--	-328,593	-2,097,833
Family Planning Service	4,785	160,877	781,011
State Institution, MR (ICF)	2,470	6,995,683	38,258,629
State Institution, MI/CD (Mental Hospital)	391	1,233,088	4,417,168
Prescribed Drugs	74,365	2,393,217	11,195,411
Medical Supplies	6,388	275,872	1,611,475
Ambulance Service/Medical Transportation	3,478	221,611	1,247,350
EPSDT (3)	1,183	45,626	255,580
Physician/Osteopathic Service	59,539	2,749,841	14,492,250
Dental Services	16,492	1,049,584	5,792,861
Optometric Services	4,162	189,994	906,416
Psychology	855	95,223	441,170
Nursing Services	293	133,602	568,740
Physical Therapy	93	15,338	102,038
Speech Therapy	161	22,859	83,568
Occupational Therapy	--	--	--
Podiatrist Service	2,316	59,676	251,434
Chiropractor Service	1,048	42,131	237,216
Audiologist	16	554	9,807
Osteopathic Services	--	--	--
Other	--	--	1,042
TOTAL	131,050	$50,615,794	$279,123,946

Footnotes - Medical Assistance Recipients and Expenditures By Category of Service

(1) This table represents state Medicaid system payments plus payments made by counties to primarily medical vendors not covered by the central payments system. Also, in this table, each person is counted under all service categories for which payment is made in his/her behalf during the month.

(2) Recipient recoveries represent collections such as estate settlements, tort recoveries, etc. ... generally third party collections which cannot be tied directly to a specific service billing. The dollar values under this category are always negative.

(3) An additional $11,156 was paid out for EPSDT services during the month; however, these charges were billed in a different fashion and are included under other service types such as Public Health Clinic, Physician/Osteopathic Service, etc. Existing reports do not break these charges out separately.

RECIPIENTS OF NURSING HOME CARE
BY BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY
December, 1979

	SNF		ICF-I		ICF-II		ICF-MR		TOTAL	
	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
RECEIVING SSI										
Aged	1,022	$ 1,051,299.56	1,049	$ 864,163.91	132	$ 76,486.10	37	$ 38,467.46	2,240	$ 2,030,417.03
Blind	26	28,675.66	24	26,346.48	2	1,295.40	7	8,654.86	59	64,972.40
Disabled	615	700,354.42	2,269	4,442,708.75	202	126,503.81	1,238	1,535,576.16	4,324	6,805,143.14
Total Receiving SSI	1,663	$ 1,780,329.64	3,342	$ 5,333,219.14	336	$204,285.31	1,282	$1,582,698.48	6,623	$ 8,900,532.57
MA - ONLY										
Adults Old										
Medically Needy	5,683	$ 4,724,904.40	3,480	$ 2,227,895.76	511	$181,103.56	9	$ 7,617.18	9,683	$ 7,141,520.90
Categorically Needy	6,204	5,246,910.51	4,356	2,886,471.65	645	252,822.84	17	18,304.52	11,222	8,404,509.52
Adults Blind										
Medically Needy	5	$ 5,113.02	9	$ 6,461.10	0	$ 0.00	6	$ 6,468.10	20	$ 18,042.22
Categorically Needy	21	24,691.33	22	15,923.29	4	1,732.10	3	3,785.70	50	46,132.42
Adults Disabled										
Medically Needy	508	$ 457,680.50	893	$ 1,336,106.26	67	$ 24,925.41	396	$ 431,607.35	1,864	$ 2,250,319.52
Categorically Needy	775	709,949.17	1,522	2,441,097.86	139	60,478.72	862	926,746.75	3,298	4,138,272.50
Needy Children	3	$ 4,179.28	92	$ 191,684.32	0	$ 0.00	97	$ 144,368.03	192	$ 340,231.63
Unknown	-	$ 290.40-	12	$ 2,576.39	0	$ 0.00	0	$ 0.00	14	$ 2,285.99
TOTAL MA - ONLY	13,201	$11,173,137.81	10,386	$ 9,108,216.63	1,366	$521,062.63	1,390	$1,538,897.63	26,343	$22,341,314.70
UNKNOWN	1	$ 0.00	9	$ 8,083.46	0	$ 0.00	3	$ 2,545.55	13	$ 10,629.01
GRAND TOTAL	14,865	$[illegible],954,467.45	13,737	$14,449,519.23	1,702	$725,347.94	2,675	$3,124,141.66	32,979	$31,252,476.28

MINNESOTA PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

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December, 1979

TABLE I - PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS: APPLICATIONS AND CASES

December, 1979

PROGRAM	AFDC			GENERAL ASSISTANCE		
Month and Year	December, 1979	November, 1979	R December, 1978	December, 1979	November, 1979	December, 1978
Applications Received	3,036	3,112	2,986	4,074	3,991	3,887
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	3,458	3,539	3,502	4,429	4,302	4,262
Applications Disposed Of:	3,066	3,117	2,982	4,041	3,939	3,949
Formal Appl. Approved	2,499	2,465	2,536	3,614	3,573	3,589
Transfers between Counties	302	366	187	--	--	360
Denials	265	286	259	427	366	--
Total Cases Open During Month	49,822	49,766	48,078	12,722	12,251	12,872
Number Receiving No Payment	1,568	1,737	1,124	2,881	2,967	3,092
Number Receiving Payment	48,254	48,029	46,954	9,841	9,284	9,780
Cases Closed During Month	2,476	2,745	2,522	3,366	3,141	3,093

PROGRAM	MEDICAL ASSISTANCE/CONCURRENTLY RECEIVING SSI								
	65 AND OVER			BLIND			DISABLED		
Month and Year	Dec. '79	Nov. '79	Dec. '78	Dec. '79	Nov. '79	Dec. '78	Dec. '79	Nov. '79	Dec. '78
Applications Received	113	137	135	6	11	8	253	230	309
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	192	209	176	14	16	9	436	430	409
Applications Disposed Of:	114	130	108	7	8	5	273	247	245
Formal Appl. Approved	107	125	103	7	8	4	257	227	228
Formal Appl. Not Approved	7	5	5	0	0	1	16	20	17
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	11,713	11,735	12,105	408	408	439	15,484	15,444	15,464
Number Receiving No Payment	2,353	3,276	3,614	83	97	124	2,428	3,317	3,977
Number Receiving Payment	9,360	8,459	8,491	325	311	315	13,056	12,127	11,487
Cases Closed During Month	114	136	180	5	5	5	189	204	210

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MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ONLY APPLICATIONS AND CASES

PROGRAM	65 AND OVER			ADULTS/BLIND			ADULTS/DISABLED		
Month and Year	Dec. '79	Nov. '79	Dec. '78	Dec. '79	Nov. '79	Dec. '78	Dec. '79	Nov. '79	Dec. '78
Applications Received	871	992	1,236	4	5	6	228	326	434
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	2,327	2,530	1,982	8	9	10	700	798	727
Applications Disposed Of:	924	1,074	854	3	5	4	257	326	297
Formal Appl. Approved	783	894	729	3	5	1	193	234	206
Formal Appl. Not Approved	141	180	125	0	0	3	64	92	91
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	25,751	25,645	24,056	130	125	120	7,594	7,598	7,171
Number Receiving No Payment	1,142	2,431	2,001	9	22	19	230	602	1,226
Number Receiving Payment	24,609	23,214	22,055	121	103	101	7,364	6,996	5,945
Cases Closed During Month	680	682	706	1	0	4	190	222	213

PROGRAM	AFDC RELATED			CHILDREN UNDER 21/REGULAR		
Month and Year	December, '79	November, '79	December, '78	December, '79	November, '79	December, '78
Applications Received	131	147	167	942	989	1,422
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	278	290	241	1,668	1,714	1,903
Applications Disposed Of:	134	143	131	927	988	1,102
Formal Appl. Approved	97	107	101	767	805	861
Formal Appl. Not Approved	37	35	30	160	183	241
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Cases Open During Month	773	754	696	5,776	5,763	6,127
Number Receiving No Payment	6	145	104	848	1,601	1,573
Number Receiving Payment	767	609	592	4,928	4,162	4,554
Cases Closed During Month	81	73	89	698	729	789

Table I Cont.

MINNESOTA SUPPLEMENTAL AID

PROGRAM	65 AND OVER			BLIND			DISABLED		
Month and Year	Dec. '79	Nov. '79	Dec. '78	Dec. '79	Nov. '79	Dec. '78	Dec. '79	Nov. '79	Dec. '78
Applications Received	119	135	98	7	6	7	254	247	241
Total Appl. On Hand During Month	171	190	145	8	7	8	316	310	296
Applications Disposed Of:	118	138	100	6	6	7	256	248	240
Formal Appl. Approved	85	110	78	2	5	5	194	181	178
Formal Appl. Not Approved	31	25	14	4	1	2	61	66	61
Disposed of W/O Formal Appl.	2	3	8	0	0	0	1	1	1
Total Cases Open During Month	3,508	3,553	3,656	167	166	181	7,507	7,501	7,515
Number Receiving No Payment	152	180	170	6	1	7	291	288	265
Number Receiving Payment	3,356	3,373	3,486	161	165	174	7,216	7,213	7,250
Cases Closed During Month	93	119	94	7	1	5	180	189	159

Table II MINNESOTA PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRENDS - December, 1979

	December, 1979	CHANGE FROM November, 1979		CHANGE FROM December, 1978	
		Number or Amount	Percent	Number or Amount	Percent
ALL PROGRAMS[a]					
Persons Receiving Payment	208,162	+ 5,413	+ 2.7%	+ 8,757	+ 4.4%
Total Payments	$67,400,550	-$7,521,815	-10.0%	+$19,465,918	+40.6%
Aid to Families with Dependent Children					
Families (Cases) Receiving Payment	48,254	+ 225	+ 0.5%	+ 1,300	+ 2.8%
Children	87,986	+ 61	+ 0.1%	+ 174	+ 0.2%
Caretakers	42,127	+ 85	+ 0.2%	+ 1,290	+ 3.2%
Total Net Payments	$14,061,057	-$ 185,727	- 1.3%	+$ 1,496,617	+11.9%
Average Grant Per Family	$ 291.40	-$ 5.23	- 1.8%	+$ 23.81	+ 8.9%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 108.07	-$ 1.55	- 1.4%	+$ 10.41	+10.7%
Emergency Assistance					
Families Receiving Payment	1,206	- 65	- 5.1%	+ 26	+ 2.2%
Persons Receiving Payment	4,191	- 182	- 4.2%	+ 72	+ 1.7%
AFDC Persons Receiving Payment[b]	1,771	- 88	- 4.7%	- 394	-18.2%
Total Net Payments	$ 296,939	-$ 21,004	- 6.6%	+$ 22,986	+ 8.4%
Average Payment Per Family	$ 246.22	-$ 3.93	- 1.6%	+$ 14.06	+ 6.1%
Supplemental Aid					
Persons Receiving Payment	10,733	- 18	- 0.2%	- 177	- 1.6%
Total Net Payments	$ 804,338	-$ 18,558	- 2.3%	+$ 65,235	+ 8.8%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 74.94	-$ 1.60	- 2.1%	+$ 7.19	+10.6%
General Assistance[c]					
Cases Receiving Payment	10,722	+ 203	+ 1.9%	+ 132	+ 1.2%
Family Cases	762	+ 3	+ 0.4%	- 74	- 8.9%
Persons in Family Case	2,212	- 65	- 2.9%	- 276	-11.1%
Single Cases	9,960	+ 200	+ 2.0%	+ 206	+ 2.1%
Total Gross Payments	$ 1,622,422	+ 56,327	+ 3.6%	+ 68,503	+ 4.4%
Avg. Grant Per Family Case	$ 217.25	+$ 13.94	+ 6.9%	+$ 5.14	+ 2.4%
Avg. Grant Per Family Person	$ 74.84	+$ 7.07	+10.4%	+$ 3.57	+ 5.0%
Avg. Grant Per Single Case	$ 146.27	+$ 1.62	+ 1.1%	+$ 5.14	+ 3.6%
Medical Assistance					
Total MA-Only Persons	40,193	+ 3,252	+ 8.8%	+ 4,967	+14.1%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving SSI	22,741	+ 1,844	+ 8.8%	+ 2,448	+12.1%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving MSA[b]	10,210	- 148	- 1.4%	+ 341	+ 3.5%
Total Persons Concurrently Receiving AFDC[b]	68,116	+ 10,297	+17.8%	+ 6,622	+10.8%
Total Net Payments	$50,615,794	-$7,352,853	-12.7%	+$17,812,577	+54.3%
Average Grant Per Person	$ 386.23	-$ 114.98	-22.9%	+$ 105.89	+37.8%

(a) Does not include General Assistance Medical Care, Foster Care or other General Relief Payments
(b) Excluded when calculating the total persons for all programs.
(c) Includes post-closing persons and cases.

TABLE III

MINNESOTA AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

December, 1979

COUNTY	CASES	CHANGE FROM November, 1979	CARETAKERS	CHILDREN	PAYMENTS	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER FAMILY	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER PERSON
TOTAL STATE	48,254	+225	42,127	87,986	$14,061,057.10	$291.40	$108.07
TOTAL SMSA	35,070	+ 57	31,484	63,509	$10,235,863.07	$290.84	$107.75
Anoka	2,518	+ 68	2,081	4,448	$ 799,239.97	$317.41	$122.41
Benton	205	+ 5	167	348	54,335.67	265.05	105.51
Carver	209	- 4	189	408	40,122.45	191.97	67.21
Chisago	267	+ 8	194	500	76,475.13	286.42	110.19
Clay	401	- 11	336	697	66,905.72	166.85	64.77
Dakota	1,714	+ 13	1,461	2,961	368,739.55	215.13	83.39
Hennepin	14,428	- 25	13,400	26,297	4,340,602.50	300.85	109.34
Olmsted	733	- 4	670	1,265	202,885.37	276.79	104.85
Polk	368	- 4	331	779	88,985.00	241.81	80.17
Ramsey	7,828	- 21	7,192	14,238	2,339,909.50	298.92	109.19
St. Louis	3,642	+ 44	3,121	6,406	1,056,377.58	290.05	110.88
Scott	300	+ 8	253	574	85,132.69	283.78	102.94
Sherburne	328	+ 1	299	619	94,910.52	289.36	103.39
Stearns	726	+ 10	642	1,308	204,700.80	281.96	104.97
Washington	878	- 36	755	1,587	279,086.57	317.87	119.17
Wright	525	+ 5	393	1,074	137,454.35	261.82	93.70
TOTAL RURAL	13,184	+168	10,643	24,477	$ 3,825,193.73	$290.14	$108.92
Aitkin	149	--	112	283	$ 33,248.95	$223.15	$ 84.17
Becker	388	+ 8	310	755	123,042.80	317.12	115.53
Beltrami	751	- 1	618	1,441	243,783.35	324.61	118.40
Big Stone	40	- 3	24	85	11,646.08	291.15	106.84
Blue Earth	524	+ 18	446	884	158,965.44	303.37	119.52
Brown	186	+ 7	154	347	53,747.11	288.96	107.28
Carlton	432	+ 7	373	808	125,330.72	290.12	106.12
Cass	411	+ 9	356	827	144,532.88	351.66	122.17
Chippewa	100	- 2	68	175	21,537.91	215.38	88.63
Clearwater	176	- 3	128	366	53,904.80	306.28	109.12
Cook	42	+ 1	36	69	11,708.62	278.78	111.51
Cottonwood	86	- 7	65	155	12,994.02	151.09	59.06
Crow Wing	571	+ 38	534	1,062	183,476.45	321.32	114.96
Dodge	86	- 2	60	165	23,338.23	271.37	103.72
Douglas	215	--	176	397	58,748.53	273.25	102.53
Fillmore	121	+ 2	82	211	26,896.15	222.28	91.80
Freeborn	310	+ 2	244	551	84,477.03	272.51	106.26
Goodhue	261	+ 6	216	492	79,497.27	304.59	112.28
Grant	37	+ 2	32	74	10,069.00	272.14	94.99
Houston	117	+ 1	81	209	30,940.03	264.44	106.69
Hubbard	217	- 1	201	430	68,851.60	317.29	109.12
Isanti	219	+ 26	168	415	64,331.74	293.75	110.35
Itasca	770	- 6	557	1,382	227,478.95	295.43	117.32
Jackson	88	- 2	75	153	23,815.10	270.63	104.45
Kanabec	152	+ 1	118	288	47,392.30	311.79	116.73

TABLE III cont. MINNESOTA AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

December, 1979

COUNTY	CASES	CHANGE FROM Nov., 1979	CARETAKERS	CHILDREN	PAYMENTS	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER FAMILY	AVERAGE PAYMENT PER PERSON
Kandiyohi	287	+ 4	224	509	$ 79,677.01	$277.62	$108.70
Kittson	33	+ 4	28	62	8,310.72	251.84	92.34
Koochiching	290	+ 21	246	530	92,868.64	320.24	119.68
Lac Qui Parle	42	- 2	27	80	9,935.00	236.55	92.85
Lake	106	+ 4	80	197	27,812.01	262.38	100.40
Lake O' Woods	30	+ 1	29	64	10,047.44	334.91	108.04
Le Sueur	175	+ 7	146	307	50,286.40	287.35	111.01
Region VIII No.	311	- 4	232	577	83,817.55	269.51	103.61
McLeod	171	- 3	139	318	51,006.16	298.28	111.61
Mahnomen	85	- 2	57	170	25,105.34	295.36	110.60
Marshall	76	--	53	122	21,112.80	277.80	120.64
Martin	346	- 23	259	643	96,047.64	277.59	106.48
Meeker	141	- 5	116	287	44,538.10	315.87	110.52
Mille Lacs	285	+ 12	236	520	89,624.18	314.47	118.55
Morrison	339	+ 7	306	659	109,120.55	321.89	113.08
Mower	377	+ 25	297	654	95,625.72	253.65	100.55
Nicollet	178	- 4	147	318	48,830.00	274.33	105.01
Nobles	174	- 4	138	338	49,454.03	284.22	103.90
Norman	40	+ 1	27	76	10,445.70	261.14	101.41
Otter Tail	283	+ 1	201	527	74,488.20	263.21	102.32
Pennington	139	+ 3	106	231	40,587.25	291.99	120.44
Pine	311	+ 10	282	595	101,310.15	325.76	115.52
Pipestone	82	+ 1	78	157	30,651.40	373.80	130.43
Pope	93	+ 3	80	180	25,897.61	278.47	99.61
Red Lake	26	- 1	19	43	6,815.00	262.12	109.92
Redwood	108	- 2	86	202	29,413.44	272.35	102.13
Renville	93	- 3	68	172	23,482.70	252.50	97.84
Rice	352	+ 7	288	667	69,753.03	198.16	73.04
Rock	46	+ 5	35	84	11,370.00	247.17	95.55
Roseau	81	+ 2	63	158	22,808.77	281.59	103.21
Sibley	82	+ 2	59	129	20,118.24	245.34	107.01
Steele	127	--	107	231	33,083.62	260.50	97.88
Stevens	45	+ 1	31	78	11,064.20	245.87	101.51
Swift	112	- 3	87	232	33,060.28	295.18	103.64
Todd	223	+ 5	171	419	64,314.86	288.41	109.01
Traverse	36	--	26	52	8,887.00	246.86	113.94
Wabasha	121	+ 6	88	213	31,377.89	259.32	104.25
Wadena	166	- 5	140	355	47,287.01	284.86	95.53
Waseca	143	+ 5	112	257	40,183.02	281.00	108.90
Wilkin	63	+ 2	53	100	16,943.41	268.94	110.74
Winona	454	- 8	395	826	136,721.70	301.15	111.98
Yellow Medicine	63	- 3	47	114	18,154.90	288.17	112.76

TABLE IV.

MINNESOTA
GENERAL ASSISTANCE
December, 1979

COUNTY	Cases	Persons*	Payments	SINGLE CASES Number Persons	SINGLE CASES Av Grant P Person	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN Number Families	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN Number Persons	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN Av Grant P Person	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY Number Families	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY Number Persons	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY Av Grant P Person
TOTAL STATE	10,722	12,172	$1,622,422.16	9,960	$146.27	395	1,477	$ 62.13	367	735	$100.38
TOTAL SMSA CTYS	8,816	9,562	$1,299,538.23	8,387	$144.49	193	702	$ 59.02	236	473	$ 97.87
TOTAL URBAN CTYS	7,813	8,347	$1,135,963.57	7,494	$143.32	141	496	$ 57.08	178	357	$ 94.11
Hennepin	4,681	4,929	$ 634,987.55	4,530	$135.09	67	231	$ 37.44	84	168	$ 85.62
Ramsey	2,075	2,225	335,026.13	1,976	158.79	39	128	69.86	60	121	101.75
St. Louis	1,057	1,193	165,949.89	988	150.13	35	137	78.26	34	68	101.50
TOTAL SUBURBAN CTYS	1,003	1,215	$ 163,574.66	893	$154.26	52	206	$ 63.70	58	116	$109.45
Anoka	241	264	$ 37,137.05	225	$147.26	4	15	$ 59.60	12	24	$129.60
Benton	28	45	3,210.70	20	100.40	4	17	39.76	4	8	65.84
Carver	11	11	1,418.00	11	128.91	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Chisago	35	42	8,349.81	29	245.17	1	3	77.61	5	10	100.70
Clay	32	38	5,734.23	29	179.22	3	9	59.66	0	0	0.00
Dakota	125	142	21,656.31	118	171.93	4	18	37.44	3	6	115.83
Olmsted	123	140	20,881.53	113	163.29	6	19	98.45	4	8	69.88
Polk	60	71	9,081.23	53	148.83	2	8	69.13	5	10	64.00
Scott	58	71	8,120.87	52	118.60	3	13	61.23	3	6	192.93
Sherburne	41	50	5,607.60	36	125.73	1	6	45.33	4	8	101.19
Stearns	76	118	11,255.72	58	137.26	11	46	49.01	7	14	74.98
Washington	100	111	16,919.86	92	160.51	3	9	90.80	5	10	133.60
Wright	73	112	14,201.75	57	155.11	10	43	82.47	6	12	151.23
TOTAL NOT SMSA CTYS	1,906	2,610	$ 322,883.93	1,573	$155.80	202	775	$ 64.94	131	262	$104.91
Aitkin	13	15	$ 2,027.18	12	$150.60	1	3	$ 73.33	0	0	$ 0.00
Becker	44	55	7,049.42	38	148.81	3	11	47.32	3	6	145.68
Beltrami	65	102	10,454.36	49	143.43	11	43	54.35	5	10	108.93
Big Stone	8	11	1,343.35	5	160.40	0	0	0.00	3	6	90.23
Blue Earth	119	142	21,249.42	105	170.36	12	33	86.06	2	4	130.50
Brown	32	36	4,900.58	29	153.61	1	3	20.00	2	4	96.48
Carlton	86	90	16,574.71	83	193.21	1	3	119.67	2	4	44.75
Cass	31	34	6,235.00	28	188.00	1	2	98.50	2	4	193.50
Chippewa	18	35	2,785.89	9	88.47	7	22	77.49	2	4	71.20
Clearwater	15	21	1,415.30	12	82.70	2	7	42.99	1	2	61.00
Cook	25	35	3,772.32	19	126.99	2	8	70.50	4	8	99.44
Cottonwood	19	23	2,911.00	17	145.62	2	6	72.57	0	0	0.00
Crow Wing	123	172	17,066.18	96	119.73	10	42	65.71	17	34	82.71
Dodge	5	5	557.00	5	111.40	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Douglas	36	49	5,852.00	33	161.36	1	2	107.50	2	4	78.00
Fillmore	8	9	865.00	7	103.00	0	0	0.00	1	2	72.00
Freeborn	30	43	3,993.40	23	136.76	4	14	15.20	3	6	105.83
Goodhue	13	14	1,361.67	12	110.98	0	0	0.00	1	2	14.94
Grant	2	2	183.00	2	91.50	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Houston	18	27	2,675.50	15	149.03	3	12	36.67	0	0	0.00
Hubbard	22	36	3,389.86	15	95.77	4	15	95.61	3	6	86.54
Isanti	21	31	4,482.00	17	179.06	3	12	92.50	1	2	164.00
Itasca	134	190	23,126.72	107	168.76	16	61	46.12	11	22	102.56
Jackson	15	26	2,158.88	9	113.33	4	13	28.95	2	4	127.00

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COUNTY	Cases	Persons	Payments	SINGLE CASES Number Persons	SINGLE CASES Av Grant P Person	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN Number Families	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN Number Persons	FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN Av Grant P Person	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY Number Families	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY Number Persons	FAMILIES WITH ADULTS ONLY Av Grant P Person
Kanabec	36	67	$ 5,497.03	24	$116.11	6	31	$ 51.98	6	12	$ 91.58
Kandiyohi	59	69	8,967.12	53	150.83	2	8	61.88	4	8	59.75
Kittson	6	6	1,063.11	6	177.19	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Koochiching	71	130	14,205.81	54	162.32	14	70	62.47	3	6	178.00
Lac Qui Parle	3	10	719.00	1	16.00	1	7	72.57	1	2	87.50
Lake	28	28	5,756.92	28	205.60	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Lake of the Woods	4	4	287.65	4	71.91	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Le Sueur	15	16	2,871.37	14	177.53	0	0	0.00	1	2	193.00
Region VIII North*	74	151	16,529.76	54	176.65	19	95	69.07	1	2	214.58
McLeod	22	22	2,273.52	22	103.34	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Mahnomen	2	6	283.75	1	30.00	1	5	50.75	0	0	0.00
Marshall	2	3	170.00	1	85.00	0	0	0.00	1	2	42.50
Martin**	60	82	9,274.13	49	138.69	6	23	46.96	5	10	139.80
Meeker	12	20	753.22	10	65.80	2	10	9.52	0	0	0.00
Mille Lacs	47	59	7,760.95	38	162.03	5	13	78.85	4	8	72.33
Morrison	53	62	6,937.98	46	126.78	4	10	57.77	3	6	88.06
Mower	94	147	14,532.77	68	122.75	19	65	76.49	7	14	80.69
Nicollet	15	24	3,641.45	12	211.00	3	12	92.45	0	0	0.00
Nobles	12	16	2,494.05	9	167.33	2	5	158.81	1	2	97.00
Norman	12	18	2,369.70	9	187.08	2	7	64.71	1	2	116.50
Otter Tail	40	67	7,066.17	29	180.13	8	32	41.93	3	6	83.47
Pennington	7	8	678.04	6	75.34	0	0	0.00	1	2	113.00
Pine	46	51	9,454.46	41	198.08	0	0	0.00	5	10	133.80
Pipestone	13	19	2,877.00	10	203.80	3	9	93.22	0	0	0.00
Pope	14	19	4,562.11	12	344.34	1	5	59.00	1	2	67.50
Red Lake	2	2	200.00	2	100.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Redwood	21	32	3,971.43	15	140.25	3	11	105.88	3	6	117.17
Renville	8	9	1,422.47	7	125.57	1	2	271.75	0	0	0.00
Rice	27	27	3,400.44	27	125.94	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Rock	11	11	1,527.27	11	138.84	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Roseau	1	1	162.00	1	162.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Sibley	4	4	920.86	4	230.22	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Steele	18	20	2,499.73	17	135.49	1	3	65.46	0	0	0.00
Stevens	8	8	1,263.05	8	157.88	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Swift	15	20	3,238.68	12	148.47	1	4	245.50	2	4	118.75
Todd	24	33	5,766.92	20	244.89	3	11	52.74	1	2	144.50
Traverse	1	1	125.00	1	125.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Wabasha	6	9	1,075.00	4	207.25	1	3	48.00	1	2	51.00
Wadena	13	15	2,707.15	11	202.65	1	2	132.98	1	2	106.00
Waseca	30	46	5,983.86	22	182.40	3	14	34.64	5	10	148.61
Wilkin	12	14	3,071.80	10	259.48	0	0	0.00	2	4	119.25
Winona	51	54	7,682.96	49	140.83	1	3	162.44	1	2	147.50
Yellow Medicine	5	7	408.50	4	52.75	1	3	65.83	0	0	0.00

* Lincoln, Lyon and Murray report together under Region VIII North

**Faribault, Martin and Watonwan report together under Martin County

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COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD.	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM NOV	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	AFDC MA PAYMENTS	AVG AFDC PERSON	AVG ADULT CASE	COUNTY PAYMENTS
TOTAL STATE	26,438	70,566	68,228	+5,789	$ 21,631,368.04	$8,221,756.09	$ 116.51	$507.20	$ 3,663.09
TOTAL URBAN	10,978	39,053	33,855	+3,231	$ 10,855,926.38	$4,873,323.44	$ 124.78	$544.96	$ 1,630.70
HENNEPIN	5,831	21,882	18,596	+1,894	$ 6,091,482.32	$2,695,498.19	$ 123.18	$582.40	$
RAMSEY	3,055	12,159	10,153	+871	3,406,120.99	1,698,679.64	139.70	558.99	1,630.70
ST LOUIS	2,092	5,012	5,106	+466	1,358,323.07	479,145.61	95.59	420.25	
TOTAL RURAL	15,460	31,513	34,373	+2,558	$ 10,775,441.66	$3,348,432.64	$ 106.25	$480.47	$ 2,032.39
AITKIN	177	213	298	+7	$ 77,660.33	$ 20,873.38	$ 97.99	$320.84	$
ANOKA	309	3,547	2,435	+241	629,687.35	443,874.21	125.14	601.33	
BECKER	378	508	690	+72	176,715.72	45,139.03	88.85	348.09	
BELTRAMI	376	732	847	+69	289,758.80	116,992.45	159.82	459.48	
BENTON	134	268	300	+37	107,939.23	28,392.37	105.94	503.42	34.30
BIG STONE	116	50	152	+15	58,923.95	6,199.98	123.99	454.51	
BLUE EARTH	262	733	704	+92	202,316.15	73,125.89	99.76	493.38	
BROWN	170	218	299	+4	115,855.67	21,426.26	98.28	555.46	
CARLTON	275	583	629	+46	155,821.60	52,819.93	90.60	374.55	250.85
CARVER	134	288	320	+19	93,505.32	30,385.55	105.50	471.04	
CASS	336	502	630	+34	156,150.36	40,679.88	81.03	343.66	
CHIPPEWA	141	117	219	+24	101,203.49	5,649.64	48.28	677.68	
CHISAGO	125	300	321	+23	122,038.61	52,067.12	173.55	559.77	
CLAY	240	480	534	+11	182,900.43	48,216.39	100.45	361.18	
CLEARWATER	212	220	353	+28	70,049.14	20,630.30	93.77	233.10	
COOK	26	48	63	+11	15,553.02	3,696.67	77.01	456.91	
COTTONWOOD	99	132	171	+13	95,210.35	11,737.62	85.13	848.20	
CROW WING	359	764	797	+63	238,482.90	94,888.22	124.19	399.98	
DAKOTA	330	2,495	1,826	+150	578,561.30	318,008.51	127.45	789.55	
DODGE	82	96	142	+4	47,519.82	11,573.90	123.56	438.36	
DOUGLAS	265	292	441	+24	137,054.58	33,226.90	113.79	391.80	
FARIBAULT	177	184	275	+21	101,441.46	16,802.17	91.31	478.18	
FILLMORE	239	134	329	+2	109,210.60	13,880.78	103.58	394.69	
FREEBORN	255	421	512	+57	152,690.67	27,699.90	65.79	490.15	
GOODHUE	213	361	420	+12	139,898.99	25,686.35	71.15	536.20	
GRANT	67	54	94	+8	36,019.02	3,405.73	63.06	498.76	114.09
HOUSTON	131	141	216	+4	64,820.48	5,900.72	41.84	449.78	
HUBBARD	176	287	349	+21	91,000.88	44,134.53	153.77	266.28	
ISANTI	100	299	274	+27	99,615.94	21,969.48	73.47	776.46	68.10
ITASCA	389	883	967	+66	206,089.11	69,797.12	79.04	359.36	
JACKSON	79	116	150	+4	20,999.90	10,435.25-	89.95-	397.91	
KANABEC	112	184	230	+21	63,948.10	25,303.09	137.51	345.04	
KANDIYOHI	250	311	472	+17	153,547.40	19,231.74	61.83	537.26	
KITTSON	91	32	113	+4	71,374.55	6,476.96	202.40	713.14	
KOOCHICHING	186	464	438	+43	126,919.98	41,557.11	89.56	458.94	
LAC QUI PARLE	95	35	123	+5	65,402.31	1,939.54	55.38	668.93	
LAKE	65	166	149	-10	34,039.82	6,455.02	38.88	424.38	
LAKE OF THE WOODS	32	43	53	-1	19,690.51	5,747.62	133.66	435.71	
LE SUEUR	155	191	282	+6	57,996.57	17,594.52	92.11	260.59	
LINCOLN	69	40	95	+7	35,194.72	10,998.35	274.95	350.67	
LYON	178	285	356	+27	63,950.19	16,624.59	58.33	260.91	

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COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD.	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM NOV	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	AFDC MA PAYMENTS	AVG AFDC PERSON	AVG ADULT CASE	COUNTY PAYMENTS
MCLEOD	162	247	313	+25	$ 117,350.19	$ 28,498.41	$ 107.28	$560.81	$ 144.66
MAHNOMEN	107	82	161	+6	63,084.77	11,589.79	141.33	481.26	
MARSHALL	134	89	194	+7	67,059.65	5,540.65	62.25	459.09	
MARTIN	130	199	253	+12	86,356.77	8,649.54	43.46	597.76	
MEEKER	159	202	272	+18	129,797.60	21,522.08	106.54	680.97	
MILLE LACS	214	394	449	+31	145,349.40	62,180.90	157.81	388.63	
MORRISON	388	533	681	+15	217,099.87	50,068.30	93.93	433.49	
MOWER	256	506	555	+35	186,050.81	37,801.03	74.70	579.10	
MURRAY	98	76	141	+7	56,696.48	3,843.47	50.57	539.31	
NICOLLET	104	253	261	+30	59,133.42	4,217.55-	16.67-	609.14	
NOBLES	180	190	302	-6	107,225.13	15,466.09	81.40	509.77	
NORMAN	131	48	161	+1	81,456.21	3,909.47	81.44	591.95	
OLMSTED	376	910	971	+71	334,869.13	99,325.43	109.14	626.44	13.82
OTTER TAIL	463	306	667	+37	241,697.48	29,673.52	96.97	457.93	
PENNINGTON	162	181	276	+27	73,015.66	10,184.94	56.27	387.84	
PINE	230	454	489	+45	132,081.79	43,592.89	96.01	394.64	
PIPESTONE	109	93	165	+5	53,126.17	4,860.25	52.26	442.80	
POLK	362	552	686	+54	199,506.59	52,421.05	94.96	406.31	130.41
POPE	118	111	187	-1	68,530.44	8,215.76	74.01	511.14	115.64
RED LAKE	48	41	71	+6	43,310.00	2,098.46	51.18	858.57	
REDWOOD	167	122	245	+30	113,802.81	8,362.77	68.54	631.37	
RENVILLE	201	112	267	+8	114,743.29	4,987.72	44.53	546.04	
RICE	205	508	500	+22	173,212.87	36,934.80	72.70	664.77	
ROCK	67	61	105	+9	41,691.95	2,634.70	43.19	592.94	
ROSEAU	130	110	198	+27	86,530.80	15,105.53	137.32	569.42	
SCOTT	136	390	380	+39	105,545.94	29,308.57	75.15	560.56	
SHERBURNE	114	444	375	+37	104,226.21	58,460.94	131.66	401.44	
SIBLEY	88	84	142	-7	45,887.90	11,739.76	139.78	388.04	
STEARNS	524	1,072	1,158	+81	426,929.11	172,182.47	160.61	486.15	847.61
STEELE	137	176	242	+7	120,423.70	43,939.92	249.65	559.27	
STEVENS	79	43	108	-2	34,905.92	1,844.15	42.88	418.50	
SWIFT	152	144	239	+1	75,137.27	11,613.17	80.64	417.92	187.31
TODD	350	324	535	+29	162,382.64	29,854.95	92.14	378.65	48.40
TRAVERSE	70	37	95	+3	47,909.38	26,970.82	728.94	299.12	
WABASHA	123	119	203	+10	69,608.43	11,314.52	95.08	473.93	
WADENA	202	275	362	+56	116,703.06	46,652.29	169.64	346.78	
WASECA	109	201	219	+15	40,509.58	10,524.55	57.36	275.91	
WASHINGTON	282	1,318	1,097	+92	287,582.10	136,520.71	103.58	535.67	
WATONWAN	64	119	137	+11	41,761.20	2,351.02-	19.75-	699.25	
WILKIN	80	82	136	+10	81,170.71	6,070.98	74.03	939.74	
WINONA	250	641	631	+66	160,733.49	41,838.84	65.27	475.57	77.20
WRIGHT	237	729	654	+43	182,781.02	86,935.71	119.25	414.61	
YELLOW MEDICINE	137	76	183	+8	103,763.56	5,977.65	78.75	713.76	
INDOCHINESE CASES	20	1,642	839	+210	209,792.85	207,910.35	126.62	93.62	

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COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM NOV	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	MA PAYMENTS FAMILIES W/CHILDREN	AVG C.T. & CHILD.	AVG ADULT CASE	COUNTY PAYMENTS
TOTAL STATE	35,076	6,841	40,641	-4,700	$29,183,490.26	$ 7,514,242.74	$ 367.52	$740.32	$ 48,516.47
TOTAL URBAN	15,059	2,752	17,498	-3,799	$13,447,927.11	$ 1,193,708.65	$ 433.76	$813.74	$16,754.17
HENNEPIN	8,163	1,092	9,168	-2,212	$ 7,512,442.22	$ 575,864.40	$ 527.44	$840.75	$ 1,828.06
RAMSEY	4,287	1,165	5,299	-1,139	3,866,819.69	478,409.40	410.65	799.30	14,723.03
ST LOUIS	2,609	495	3,031	-448	2,068,665.20	139,434.89	281.69	739.45	203.08
TOTAL RURAL	20,017	4,089	23,143	-901	$15,735,563.15	$ 1,320,534.05	$ 322.94	$720.13	$21,762.30
AITKIN	192	45	222	-16	$ 125,752.94	$ 14,824.33	$ 329.42	$577.75	$
ANOKA	507	250	713	-99	546,023.97	87,684.66	350.73	904.22	
BECKER	348	85	414	+68	257,644.67	31,887.50	375.14	648.72	69.33
BELTRAMI	326	109	415	-28	250,598.03	32,551.14	298.63	668.85	
BENTON	204	56	250	-24	176,853.96	19,543.81	348.99	771.12	
BIG STONE	132	9	137	-3	101,498.07	2,304.43	256.04	751.46	
BLUE EARTH	351	122	457	-92	311,486.97	43,117.52	353.42	764.58	
BROWN	256	23	276	-9	200,250.10	7,922.70	344.48	751.27	
CARLTON	279	62	335	-66	233,361.12	19,973.48	322.15	764.83	318.29
CARVER	185	34	209	+8	164,116.69	11,214.05	329.82	826.50	78.00
CASS	219	89	284	-78	231,882.62	60,055.08	674.77	786.60	201.14
CHIPPEWA	190	15	205	+17	128,165.88	11,780.45	785.36	612.55	
CHISAGO	173	49	209	-5	136,656.49	37,694.36	769.27	573.03	
CLAY	293	47	333	-3	249,821.96	37,805.28	804.38	723.60	5,867.17
CLEARWATER	159	44	193	+26	104,507.76	15,270.11	347.04	561.24	
COOK	60	9	67	+2	40,816.30	2,183.80	242.64	643.87	
COTTONWOOD	182	15	196	+18	120,844.02	2,047.14	136.47	652.73	163.51
CROW WING	378	160	497	-57	319,438.33	26,509.15	165.68	774.94	229.25
DAKOTA	574	191	730	-94	594,698.09	76,508.56	400.56	902.76	
DODGE	115	19	132	-9	98,056.39	3,208.38	168.75	824.78	
DOUGLAS	307	52	347	+5	205,334.44	2,821.25	54.25	659.65	
FARIBAULT	243	32	265	-7	168,372.45	8,645.54	270.17	657.31	
FILLMORE	295	36	325	-5	198,192.12	6,432.94	178.69	650.33	
FREEBORN	342	58	383	+29	254,497.22	12,530.92	216.05	737.50	
GOODHUE	404	32	433	+5	288,768.66	9,616.03	300.50	690.97	173.62
GRANT	103	8	110	-14	61,505.93	306.50	38.31	594.16	
HOUSTON	159	21	175	-6	92,880.90	346.45	16.49	581.97	
HUBBARD	193	86	253	-15	128,322.63	10,391.95	120.83	611.33	12.97
ISANTI	169	46	203	-6	107,969.75	14,083.64	306.16	555.53	
ITASCA	443	106	530	-112	334,441.41	34,741.75	327.75	676.52	
JACKSON	164	30	186	+2	110,743.47	7,231.43	241.04	631.17	70.05
KANABEC	132	61	174	+11	166,552.33	46,437.79	761.27	909.95	215.04
KANDIYOHI	339	70	397	-47	274,834.98	25,319.60	361.70	736.03	
KITTSON	125	3	127	+10	101,447.17	377.50	125.83	808.55	
KOOCHICHING	232	116	314	-46	188,305.67	31,400.84	270.69	676.70	
LAC QUI PARLE	145	7	151	+1	121,993.66	1,743.14	249.02	829.31	
LAKE	53	11	63	-12	40,567.68	2,193.10	199.12	724.10	60.00
LAKE OF THE WOODS	47	7	53	+8	17,494.66	6,841.61-	977.37-	517.79	
LE SUEUR	272	14	282	-12	236,196.27	11,335.50	809.47	826.69	198.04
LINCOLN	138	6	143	+16	106,202.45	668.08	111.34	764.74	
LYON	236	50	275	+34	149,489.96	7,308.54	146.17	602.46	263.32

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TABLE VI. (cont.)

MINNESOTA MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
RECIPIENTS RECEIVING MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ONLY

COUNTY	ADULT CASES	C.T. & CHILD	TOTAL CASES	CHANGE FROM NOV	TOTAL MA PAYMENTS	MA PAYMENTS FAMILIES W/CHILDREN	AVG C.T. & CHILD.	AVG ADULT CASE	COUNTY PAYMENTS
MCLEOD	199	28	221	-14	$148,375.70	$ 7,967.37	$ 284.54	$ 705.56	$ 144.66
MAHNOMEN	50	27	67	+2	47,120.39	3,627.74	134.36	869.85	
MARSHALL	155	26	171	+17	106,203.88	9,289.53	357.28	625.25	407.12
MARTIN	231	16	246	-7	125,547.75	3,353.29	209.58	528.98	
MEEKER	191	44	230	+8	158,211.79	7,970.87	181.15	786.60	
MILLE LACS	242	61	286	-45	201,062.47	15,602.75	255.78	766.36	116.58
MORRISON	386	82	455	-20	287,974.05	20,225.13	246.64	693.65	47.06
MOWER	401	94	483	-48	287,604.07	13,783.22	146.63	682.84	61.58
MURRAY	92	18	110	+9	67,652.78	2,739.92	152.21	735.57	
NICOLLET	145	14	154	+9	136,363.05	5,954.56	425.32	899.36	
NOBLES	189	21	206	+3	108,553.50	7,297.75	347.51	535.74	8,653.83
NORMAN	139	19	154	+25	84,100.03	6,945.61	365.55	555.06	1,258.00
OLMSTED	560	88	643	-84	445,302.60	45,244.56	514.14	714.38	103.82
OTTER TAIL	606	64	650	+22	496,939.01	27,714.54	433.03	774.29	253.07
PENNINGTON	135	22	155	-2	91,042.63	10,632.32	483.28	595.63	
PINE	294	68	346	+50	218,849.75	13,100.24	192.65	699.92	154.78
PIPESTONE	120	16	134	+4	81,841.11	5,495.07	343.44	636.21	
POLK	485	57	534	+1	397,893.55	14,397.84	252.59	790.71	922.23
POPE	163	30	187	+12	113,040.74	8,303.23	276.77	642.56	
RED LAKE	65	5	70	-1	56,808.69	1,140.43	228.08	856.43	862.50
REDWOOD	192	20	206	+13	129,361.78	3,004.87	150.24	658.10	
RENVILLE	258	39	291	-47	190,589.63	5,240.50	134.37	718.49	
RICE	358	24	380	-31	297,821.61	2,903.15	120.96	823.79	73.70
ROCK	90	4	94	-4	41,969.27	626.72	156.68	459.36	
ROSEAU	144	19	160	+8	158,963.69	8,361.55	440.08	1,245.84	
SCOTT	248	63	301	-6	221,958.69	23,154.86-	367.53-	988.36	
SHERBURNE	156	43	189	-31	164,863.82	41,254.01	959.39	792.37	
SIBLEY	163	23	182	-17	117,730.84	9,030.34	392.62	666.87	
STEARNS	703	156	821	-56	626,613.02	48,510.53	310.96	822.33	
STEELE	200	10	208	+11	153,692.88	4,113.35	411.33	747.89	
STEVENS	104	16	117	-9	82,928.20	2,293.00	143.31	775.33	196.54
SWIFT	193	26	211	+3	136,617.01	29,512.19	1,135.08	554.94	229.00
TODD	330	114	410	+32	256,453.25	26,860.41	235.61	695.73	182.85
TRAVERSE	158	18	118	+1	68,900.43	757.58	42.08	630.95	
WABASHA	197	18	209	+10	153,033.50	9,148.44	508.24	730.38	
WADENA	170	60	210	-9	129,755.92	37,769.72	629.49	541.39	38.28
WASECA	154	15	165	-7	111,506.55	429.48	28.63	721.27	
WASHINGTON	425	117	516	-83	379,783.92	29,125.31	248.93	825.07	68.02
WATONWAN	123	20	135	-2	95,746.57	1,858.85	92.94	763.31	
WILKIN	114	9	119	-9	104,794.52	11,574.62	1,286.06	817.71	
WINONA	389	79	455	-23	294,165.37	29,607.02	374.77	680.09	
WRIGHT	335	63	390	-24	255,454.73	21,231.08	337.00	699.17	69.00
YELLOW MEDICINE	164	13	176	+7	124,231.28	13,476.97	1,036.69	675.33	
INDOCHINESE CASES	187	35	115	+36	31,460.96	5,041.34	144.03	141.28	

TABLE VII

Supplemental Security Income and Supplemental Aid
Recipients, Payments, Average Grants
By County - December, 1979

County	Supplemental Security Income			MSA Persons Not Receiving SSI	Supplemental Aid		
	Persons	Average Grant	Payments*		Persons	Average Grant	Payments*
Aitkin	204	$105.47	$ 21,515	5	69	$ 64.25	$ 4,433
Anoka	371	112.79	41,844	11	137	50.23	6,882
Becker	434	100.92	43,801	11	96	67.09	6,441
Beltrami	484	103.01	49,855	10	111	75.15	8,342
Benton	169	96.51	16,310	3	56	62.06	3,475
Big Stone	121	80.12	9,694	2	36	37.86	1,363
Blue Earth	369	98.99	36,528	14	111	29.09	3,229
Brown	163	87.44	14,252	2	73	35.84	2,616
Carlton	408	89.91	36,682	14	95	95.20	9,044
Carver	127	103.47	13,141	4	55	78.36	4,310
Cass	552	83.86	46,289	6	81	24.82	2,011
Chippewa	142	79.12	11,235	-	47	35.09	1,649
Chisago	123	92.24	11,345	3	61	64.66	3,944
Clay	273	96.57	26,363	13	102	56.16	5,728
Clearwater	272	97.69	26,571	2	43	100.37	4,316
Cook	30	84.09	2,523	1	7	36.00	252
Cottonwood	144	87.72	12,631	4	32	27.01	864
Crow Wing	679	80.71	54,805	13	109	73.24	7,983
Dakota	394	112.06	44,152	12	168	64.11	10,770
Dodge	96	84.37	8,099	1	13	107.57	1,398
Douglas	341	96.62	32,947	7	105	61.65	6,473
Fillmore	278	85.11	23,660	6	70	51.47	3,603
Freeborn	244	92.21	22,499	14	103	69.16	7,123
Goodhue	291	89.00	25,899	4	91	46.59	4,240
Grant	91	78.03	7,101	1	24	30.25	726
Hennepin	6,805	112.10	762,843	255	2,812	80.67	226,838
Houston	175	89.07	15,587	2	44	43.63	1,920
Hubbard	220	93.65	20,602	-	33	69.69	2,300
Isanti	388	44.39	17,224	5	56	86.95	4,869
Itasca	429	98.16	42,111	20	140	109.64	15,350
Jackson	95	106.13	10,082	2	31	70.90	2,198
Kanabec	141	101.46	14,306	7	41	60.63	2,486
Kandiyohi	446	68.80	30,685	7	80	41.76	3,341
Kittson	95	81.27	7,721	1	34	31.59	1,074
Koochiching	185	93.21	17,243	3	56	93.37	5,229
Lac Qui Parle	85	80.43	6,836	3	34	32.21	1,095
Lake	73	105.93	7,733	9	44	203.74	8,965
Lake of the Woods	46	92.61	4,260	1	10	7.50	75
LeSueur	173	93.27	16,135	8	43	31.98	1,375
Region VIII No.**	432	87.80	37,932	3	88	34.83	3,065
McLeod	207	77.79	16,103	3	64	57.16	3,658
Mahnomen	109	102.57	11,180	2	30	23.73	712
Marshall	144	102.97	14,828	4	48	126.73	6,083
Martin***	389	81.77	31,809	8	126	72.79	9,171
Meeker	177	90.97	16,101	7	73	63.75	4,654

TABLE VII (cont.)

Minnesota
Supplemental Security Income
and
Supplemental Aid
Continued

County	Supplemental Security Income Persons	Average Grant	Payments*	MSA Persons Not Receiving SSI	Supplemental Aid Persons	Average Grant	Payments*
Mille Lacs	256	$102.11	$ 26,140	4	57	$ 43.31	$ 2,468
Morrison	399	93.03	37,119	13	138	35.97	4,963
Mower	358	110.25	39,468	5	107	37.84	4,049
Nicollet	178	56.52	10,061	4	47	23.57	1,108
Nobles	200	93.00	18,600	6	71	74.58	5,295
Norman	126	79.15	9,973	1	51	32.06	1,635
Olmsted	523	88.17	46,112	29	178	69.01	12,284
Otter Tail	834	80.78	67,373	6	155	29.77	4,615
Pennington	209	95.95	20,054	8	51	131.47	6,705
Pine	282	107.98	30,450	8	74	92.86	6,871
Pipestone	124	81.69	10,129	2	28	26.14	732
Polk	433	79.24	34,310	9	131	66.64	8,730
Pope	123	87.74	10,792	1	46	79.34	3,650
Ramsey	3,501	116.39	407,467	138	1,404	79.46	111,561
Red Lake	45	98.34	4,425	1	22	68.55	1,508
Redwood	207	86.77	17,961	3	61	104.66	6,384
Renville	191	92.62	17,690	1	59	51.03	3,011
Rice	651	57.80	37,627	9	105	85.30	8,956
Rock	87	79.88	6,950	2	22	49.32	1,085
Roseau	183	93.03	17,025	10	55	109.55	6,025
St. Louis	2,121	104.53	221,700	172	959	119.70	114,792
Scott	139	93.88	13,050	3	55	40.42	2,223
Sherburne	158	97.66	15,431	6	47	68.21	3,206
Sibley	98	97.22	9,528	1	29	61.59	1,786
Stearns	659	99.40	65,502	16	219	59.31	12,988
Steele	151	93.05	14,051	7	65	80.60	5,239
Stevens	110	93.20	10,252	4	29	68.79	1,995
Swift	172	87.75	15,093	1	38	23.45	891
Todd	400	92.47	36,986	6	116	44.22	5,129
Traverse	77	73.53	5,662	-	18	40.19	723
Wabasha	185	82.77	15,312	3	43	70.74	3,042
Wadena	291	98.41	28,638	4	49	39.86	1,953
Waseca	112	93.26	10,445	2	20	81.24	1,625
Washington	249	111.09	27,662	31	159	87.42	13,900
Wilkin	72	79.27	5,707	2	28	55.11	1,543
Winona	283	90.20	25,525	7	64	91.86	5,879
Wright	297	83.45	24,785	15	98	69.67	6,827
Yellow Medicine	155	74.66	11,573	1	53	62.01	3,287
County Unknown	1	25.00	25	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	32,254	$ 98.21	$3,167,718	1,054	10,733	$ 74.94	$804,338

*May not add due to rounding.
**Includes Lincoln, Lyon and Murray Counties.
***Includes Faribault, Martin and Watonwan Counties.

TECHNICAL NOTES

Table I — Application activity for the AFDC Program does not include applications for medical only needs.

Table II — Under MA, total Persons Concurrently Receiving AFDC are not included when calculating the total number of persons receiving assistance. This is done to unduplicate the total count since these people are already counted under the AFDC Program.

Table III — This table does not include cases and payments made under the Emergency Assistance Program.

Tables V & VI — Medical Assistance - The program is broken into two components:

(1) Those recipients who had a vendor payment made in their behalf and are not concurrently receiving a money payment (the MA-Only group).

(2) Those recipients who are concurrently receiving a money payment (AFDC, SSI, MSA) and a medical vendor payment was also made in their behalf.

The counts are of people in whose behalf a payment was made out of the State's Centralized Medical Payments System during the month specified.

GLOSSARY

AFDC-UB	AFDC UB . . . An unborn child is included under the definition of child in the AFDC Program and grants are determined accordingly. For this reason, we have counted them as recipients. It is possible for a case which is currently receiving money under another subprogram (such as Unemployed Father or Regular AFDC) to receive an additional amount due to the presence of an unborn child. In instances such as this, the unborn will appear in the child count, but there will be no case or caretaker count since they are carried under the other subprogram.
EPSDT	Early Periodic Screening and Diagnostic Treatment
GAMC	General Assistance Medical Care
HMO	Health Maintenance Organization
Nursing Home ICF-I	Intermediate Care Facility (High Care)
ICF-II	Intermediate Care Facility (Minimum Care)
ICF-MR	Intermediate Care Facility (Mentally Retarded)
OAA-CCR	Old Age Assistance Concurrently Receiving Supplemental Security Income
OAA-MAO	Old Age Assistance, Medical Assistance Only
P.T., O.T., S.T. Audiology in Nursing Home	Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Therapy
Podiatrist Service	Specializing in Foot Care Services
State Institution MR (ICF)	Mentally Retarded, Intermediate Care Facility
SMSA	Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area is a county or a group of contiguous counties which contain at least one city of 50,000 population. In addition to the county of counties containing such cities, contiguous counties are included in such areas if they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated.
TB	Tuberculosis

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SUMMARY OF MINNESOTA

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TRENDS

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